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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM :
Acting Legislative Counsel

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SUBJECT : Guidelines on Briefing Congressional
Oversight Committees on Presidential
Decisions

REFERENCE : Paragraph 4 of Your Memorandum on
Conversation with Dr. Brzezinski, dated
15 February 1978

25X1 1. ☐ Action Requested: Authorization for my Office to
25X1 notify the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence and the House
25X1 Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence that they will be
briefed on PD ☐ and subsequent Presidential decisions on
intelligence by the NSC staff.

25X1 2. ☐ Background: Paragraph four of your memorandum of
conversation with Dr. Brzezinski on 14 February contained the
statement that you would inform the Committees that Dr. Brzezinski's
staff would arrange to brief the two Select Committees on ☐
and also contained the agreement that the NSC staff would brief the
Committees on all Presidential decisions on intelligence. It is
my assumption that you wish my Office to inform the Select Committees
of this understanding with the National Security Council.

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25X1 3. ☐ Recommendation: That you approve OLC's notifying the
two Select Committees that the NSC staff will brief them on ☐
and future Presidential decisions on intelligence.

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